

# First Letter From Normandy Arrives from Col S. Davis

(Editor's Note: We are publishing below the first letter this newspaper has received from any of our local boys since they hit the coast of France. The missive below is from Col Davis, former tank of Pahokee employee. I know you'll enjoy it as much as I.)

Normandy,  
July 9, 1944.

Dear Paul:

Hope this finds you and Mrs. Gordin doing just fine and enjoying that nice Florida weather. As for myself, I'm still feeling fit and strong as well as could be expected in a country boy.

have been getting The Ever-  
ades News regularly and have  
been following the home news  
with interest. Congratulations on  
our successful race for commis-  
sioner. Saw where there were a  
few other changes also.  
I have been over here since the  
kick-off and have seen quite a  
few things of interest. Wish it  
were possible to go into detail but  
I have to wait on that for a  
while yet. I like the country fine  
with the exception of the rain and  
bugs. There are more bugs per  
acre than any place I've  
ever seen. Have visited most of  
the liberated towns and the nat-  
ion seems to be overjoyed with  
the success of the "Rescue".

Haven't been lucky enough to get anyone I know here yet, although there are several of them far me. Saw Hub Spooner back Jolly Old England for a short time though it would only be luck find him here.

certainly appreciate the efforts put forth by you and the men club in getting the paper to me and to the other fellows, with Cole Sami, I missed the 20th anniversary special, however, I know demand was much greater than had been anticipated. (Answer Editor's Note: The special isn't been issued yet. Will probably be printed early in the fall.) Hoping you and Mrs. Hardin the lot of luck and hope to be seeing you before long.

Best Regards,  
Sgt. Colquitt S. Davis

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## Attend Men's Bible Class Sunday

Last Sunday, enrollment day, the Fellowship Men's Bible class of the Pahokee Baptist

Church reorganized with 37 names toward the objective of 100. It is hoped that the remaining 43 will be contacted before The Allies are

Thanks to the addition of several officers, the full roster now includes: President, L. Jaudon; Vice Presidents, C. R. Wroten, R. W. Winer, R. Caruthers, E. Keen; Recording Secretary, D. W. Crockett; Asst. J. J. Chatain; Corresponding Secretary, C. A. Batchelder; Director of Music, R. Cowart; Teacher, Rev. C. A. Moberg.

The quartet consisting of Dr. Donner, G. Butler, B. Woods and Cowart with Mr. Sanders at the piano, received a happy welcome last Sunday, thanks to the

Mr. Cowart. Two numbers will be presented this Sunday. A most cordial invitation is extended to all unaffiliated members of the community to attend this affair, which meets every Sunday 9:45, Lions Club building.

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### BOYS WIN CONTEST

The attendance contest between the boys and girls of the Intermediate Department of the Pabodie Baptist Church closed last Sunday, the boys winning. As a result, they were the guests of the girls Thursday night at a

**Better Live Safely  
Doctors Are Scarce**

TAMPA, July 20. — (FNS) — There has one doctor for every 60 persons," Dr. J. C. Dickinson, Tampa chairman of the central district of Florida, said in a procurement and assignment committee for the War Relocation Commission, announced yesterday.

Shortage of doctors is one of the greatest hazards in Florida—where the service men and women will need civilian doctors, and y will come first. Do not have accident, live safely," advises Frank Frank, director of the Florida Safety Council.



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### WHAT THE PUBLIC WANTS

As was generally expected, new homes

and new automobiles lead the list of things

for which Lakelanders plan to spend \$100-

000,000 after the war, according to the

survey made by the chamber of commerce.

High on the list also is air-conditioning,

and we hope the California chambers of

commerce will not misinterpret that item.

We're just planning to make a perfect at-

mosphere super-perfect.

At least 1,840 plan to buy new automo-

biles. The survey further shows that there

will be calls for 1,160 new stoves, for re-

frigerators, 1,120 homes, and for 1,000 new

refrigerators. Washing machines and fur-

niture are high on the list, too.

The survey was made in order to help

draw an economic picture of the future.

Similar pictures are being drawn all over

the nation. The aim is to help make as

smooth as possible the transition from war

to peace—Lakeland Ledger.

### NOT FAIR

This story of a German lieutenant cap-

tured by a British officer comes from Italy.

They talked about the war as they waited

for an escort to take the prisoner down the

line for interrogation. "Your bombing of

Berlin is inexcusable," he complained.

"But the Germans bombed London

first," pointed out his captor.

"Yes," replied the German, "but look

how large your bombs are." — London

Answers.

### PERSERVERANCE

Husband: "You will never succeed in

making that dog obey you."

Wife: "Nonsense. It is only a matter of

patience. I had a lot of trouble with you at

first." — Royal Aresnum Bulletin.

### DREAMING IN THE WANT ADS

The classified advertising columns of

newspapers and magazines are ordinarily

thought of as prosaic, utilitarian affairs.

Somebody wants a job; he looks in the

want ads. He wants to rent an apartment;

the back pages of the newspaper are the

place to find it. He may even long to buy a

hass horn. He will get help in classified.

Here is life at its most practical. The ad-

vertiser sets forth in specific terms what

he has to offer or what he wants and he

gets action.

The aspect of the want-ad columns that

is seldom mentioned and insufficiently ap-

preciated is that they are a place to dream.

They are, undoubtedly, read by a considerable

number of persons who haven't the

slightest intention of ever answering an ad.

There are people, in fact, who look at the

classified columns before they turn to other

sections of the paper.

Most of us are reasonably well satisfied

with what we are doing, so that we have

only a mild interest in looking about for

something different. However, there is al-  
ways the chance that somebody may be  
seeking just the sort of man we are, and  
willing to pay a handsome figure for it.  
Naturally he would state his case in the  
want ads. Everybody knows that the way  
to get more money is to receive an offer  
from another prospective employer, then  
wave it under the eye of one's present em-  
ployer. This is age-old strategy, but effective.  
The want-ad column may produce the  
offer, who knows. — New York Times.

### A \$2 TOWN

So great is the demand for \$2 bills in El  
Paso, Tex., that banks are frequently hard  
pressed to fill visitors' needs; and as a re-  
sult, exchange booths have been set up  
where money is exchanged at a one percent  
discount.

It all started when Germany and Japan  
seized American currency in the conquered  
countries and then tried to buy strategic  
war materials in Mexico with that seized  
American currency. In that seized cur-  
rency, however, were few, if any, \$2 bills.  
To foil the axis, the United States and Mex-  
ico entered into an agreement whereby the  
United States permits only \$2 bills and  
coins to be carried across the border, and  
Mexico has agreed to seize American cur-  
rency of all denomination except \$2 bills.

El Paso, being the border metropolis and  
the chief gateway to Mexico, has now be-  
come the home of the \$2 bill. With thou-  
sands of people "going ahead" every day—  
many El Pasoans dine daily in Juarez, on  
the other side of the Rio Grande—\$2 bills  
are in constant demand. Exchange booths  
have been set up at the approaches of the  
two international bridges, and the opera-  
tors of these booths carry on a lucrative  
trade.—Bradenton Herald.

### JERSEY MOSQUITOES

Motoring in New Jersey a party ran out  
of gas late in the evening. They put up at  
a primitive small-town hotel for the night.

There were no electric lights; only candles.

The bedroom proved to be so infested

with Jersey mosquitoes that sleep was im-

possible. One of the boys suggested a way

to get rid of the pests. As they were squat-

ted all over the ceiling, it would be a simple

matter to light the candles and burn them

up.

So they lit candles, stood on a table and

proceeded to put the plan into action. It

worked fairly well until one outside spec-

imen feeling the heat, turned around and

blew out the candle. — Hendry County

News.

An old judge, who was known for the re-

markable speed with which he disposed of

his cases, as asked by a friend to explain it.

"I always listen to the plaintiff, and then

I make my decision."

"Never to the defendant?"

"Well, I did at first, but I found out it

confused me."—Lookout.

### NO BRAKES

A church custodian, with a record of long

and harmonious service, was once asked

how he managed to get along with the var-

ious women's groups who held frequent

meetings in the building.

"Oh," he replied philosophically, "I just

git in neutral and let 'em push me about."

—Collier County News.

### Cinematic Chatter

By Malcolm Miller

Sunday-Monday they are offering

a strange drama that will

trip you from the very start and

hold your attention until the last

fade-out under the title "Voice in

the Wind." Cast, headed by Fran-

cis Lederer and Sigrid Guri, and

featuring J. Edward Bromberg,

J. Carroll Nash.

The story directly pertains to

the Nazi and this present horror

in Europe and is one of the

strangest tales ever presented.

The casting is expert and the

portrayal of the many complicated

strange characters is expertly

handled by this specially chosen

cast.

On Tuesday-Wednesday Chester

Morris and Nancy Kelly are star-

red in a piece entitled "Tornado"

and ably assisted by Bill Henry,

Gene Kenyon, Marie McDonald

and Joe Sawyer.

Story has Chester cast as an

ambitious and persevering minor

who to win the woman he loves, is

alienates his friends and de-

louses his brother.

During the unrelenting of the in-  
tensely dramatic story there are  
many thrilling incidents that will  
have you riding the back of your  
seat.

For the Thursday-Friday screen-  
ings I find we have a double fea-  
ture, both are short pictures, but  
I understand they are rapidly  
passed, so they should both be good  
entertainment.

First one up the "Dynamite  
Kid." This one features The East  
Side Kids and features Pamela  
Blake and a fine supporting cast.  
Needless to state this will be a  
picture brim full of farce-comedy.  
Such as the East Side Kids  
are noted for. There will be a lot  
of thrills, too, so I'm told. So it  
looks fairly good.

Next one on the same program  
is "Five Junction," which stars  
Ficelle Morris and Tina Thayer  
and features in their support Ger-  
ra Young, Johnny Michaels, Jack

Wagner, Jan Wiley, Beverly Boyd

This picture has the story move

around the junior generation, the

girls and boys in the 16-17 year-

old bracket, and is paced in

keeping with this present "fast

age" of "jumping five." Hollywood  
reviewers state it is really in the  
groove and give it a fair rating.

Saturdays brings Buck Jones,  
one of the Ace cowboy actors, of  
his time, under the title "Ghost  
Rider." It is up to the usual  
Buck Jones standard and should  
please every member of the Sh-

shooters Club.

Signing off I want to say I at-

tended Brother Moberg's Bible

class, held at the Lions Club every

Sunday morning at 9:45 A. M. It

was one of my most enjoyable ex-

periences since I attended the

Bible class in Montgomery, Ala.

preached over by the famous Judge

McCord, the man who wrote the

immortal book "I believe in Man."

I advise you to get up some Sun-  
day morning and join this fine  
bunch of fellows. They'll certain-

ly make you welcome and you'll

be awfully glad you went.

See you at the movies—Mal.

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Civic And Business Leaders Discuss  
Central Florida Highway Which Would  
Come Down West Side Lake Okeechobee

SILVER SPRING, July 20.—Line Highway Association and Central Florida, Inc. to participate in an effort to develop unified interest and agreement both in the matter of sponsoring a super-trunk highway through Central Florida an effective plan for water conservation.

The meeting was called by Judge Robert T. Dewell, president of The Scenic Highlanders Association, who invited the Orange Blossoms Trail Association, Bee

J. H. Dowling, engineer of the State Road department, also attended and discussed road 19.

The proposed route would connect Florida with a national system of super-highways, entering the state on road 50 from Valdosta and running South through Lake City, High Springs, Gainesville, Ocala, Leesburg, Haines City, Lake Wales, Sebring, Moore Haven, Clewiston, South Bay, Miami and via the Overseas highway to Key West.

The conference opened Saturday afternoon with a discussion of the water, conservation problem. Speakers pointed out that unless a serious effort is made to conserve the water supply of Central and

South Florida, usefulness of our best agricultural lands, including the rich Glades area would be jeopardized. H. A. Bestor, engineer with the United States Sugar Corporation, warned the group that the situation was serious. Water tables are being steadily lowered by drainage, lakes are drying up and this loss cannot be replaced.

John Ford, Executive secretary of the Florida Farm Bureau, urged united action to solve the water problem, pointing out that it takes a lot of water to produce crops and prepare them for market. Both the citrus and trucking industries would suffer unless an intelligent program of water conservation were adopted.

The group as guests of Ray & Davidson, owners of Silver Springs, were entertained at the home of Shorty Davidson and enjoyed a banquet at the Springs Dining Room that evening.

A Sunday morning session was given over to a discussion of the highway problem and resulted in unanimous agreement by all groups represented. John A. Whiting, representing the Bee Line Highway Association, proposing a more direct Tampa-Miami Route, said his group would cooperate fully with other organizations in an effort to secure the trunk road, similar assurance came from representatives of all groups attending the conference.

## THE OLD JUDGE SAYS . . .



"I don't blame the fellows overseas for getting' all hot over it, Judge. For the likes of me I can't see what's all the hurry about holdin' these local prohibition elections while they're away."

"I agree with you, Steve. Time after time, in their letters, in articles, in polls taken to get the views of our fighting men... they have indicated in unmistakable terms that they don't want any action taken on

prohibition, either local or national, until they get back."

"Too bad there isn't a law or something to be sure their wishes are carried out, Judge."

"There is in one state I know of, Steve. Just recently it passed a law prohibiting the calling of any prohibition election until a year after the peace is declared."

"That really makes sense to me, Judge."

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## PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. A. Roswell Harrington are the proud parents of a baby daughter born at the Everglades Memorial Hospital early Thursday morning, July 20. She has been named Amanda Juliette.

Miss Ruby Jane McClure has enrolled in the University of Southern California, Los Angeles where she will take an advanced course in dental hygiene and surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Williams and children have returned to their home on Canal Point Road after residing for several months in West Palm Beach.

Mrs. P. Elliott and children, Percy and Elmer B., accompanied by George Rozelle, Joan Kerr and Bobby Schrader, are expected to return home this weekend from South Carolina where they have been attending the Methodist summer camp at Junaluska and Ben Lippin.

Mrs. D. McCallan and sons, Bennie and Nathaniel, attended a birthday party given in honor of her niece in Belle Glade on Wednesday.

Rev. T. A. Ferguson, who recently underwent an operation at Good Samaritan Hospital, is able to be up and around once again.

## WANT ADS

LOST between Canal Point and 20 mile bend on State Road 25 1-6000 tire and tube mounted on blue wheel. Phone 5282 West Palm Beach. Liberal reward for return.

FOR SALE—Store building and lot on Pahokee-Belle Glade Road—formerly known as Jack Moors Package Store—See Archie R. Harris, Pahokee, Fla.

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## SOCIAL AND PERSONAL ITEMS

MRS. G. B. RAMEY  
Fulbrook Phone 5082

Mrs. Bertha Starling had as guests the past week Mrs. Sherman Taylor, Miss Clara Lee Taylor, and Master Tom Taylor of Winter Haven. Mrs. Starling gave an outdoor party and barbecue for these visitors on the lawn of her home Monday afternoon.

Other guests attending were Mr. and Mrs. John Henderson, Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Henderson, Mrs. L. H. Henderson, Mrs. Minnie L. Hughes and W. H. Vann.

Mrs. Marie Jensen is a patient at the Everglades Memorial Hospital where she is recuperating from a recent operation.

W. Russell Wilson has returned to his home in Pahokee from Georgia where he has been looking after his farming interests for the past several weeks.

Will Brandon received a painful injury when his foot was run over by an automobile the first of the week. He was treated at the Everglades Memorial Hospital.

Donald Pickett, small son of Capt. and Mrs. John T. Pickett, and Paul Brown underwent tonsilectomy at the Everglades Memorial Hospital this week.

Mrs. Adaline Stuckey has returned home from a visit with her

son, Billy, and friends in Miami. Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Acree and family moved this week from the Brewer residence on Bacon Point Road, which will soon be occupied by E. F. Bishop and family of West Palm Beach, to the S. J. Jones residence on Belle Glade Road.

### Judy Chandler Has Birthday Party

Mrs. Julian Chandler entertained at the Pahokee Woman's Club with a party for her daughter, Judy, in celebration of her fifth birthday anniversary Friday afternoon. Indoor games were played and refreshments of ice cream and cake were served by the hostess to over thirty children present.

### Miss Spradley Weds Samuel Henderson

William J. Spradley of Madison, Fla., announces the marriage of his daughter, Miss Margie Spradley, to Samuel Elvin Henderson, son of the U. S. Coast Guard, son of Mr. and Mrs. John E. Henderson of South Bay, on Saturday, July 15, at the Palace Methodist parsonage with Rev. T. A. Ferguson officiating at the ceremony in the presence of members of the immediate families.

The bride was given in marriage by her uncle, W. H. Vann. She wore a suit of pastel blue with a white hat and short veil. Her carriage was of white rosebuds.

Mrs. Henderson graduated from Greenville High School with the class of 1942 and for the past season has been employed in the office of W. H. Vann, Inc.

Mr. Henderson attended school in Pahokee and Miami, enlisting in the Coast Guard in 1939. After a short visit with relatives of the bride in North Florida, the couple will make their home in Miami where Mr. Henderson is now stationed.

### Sherden Huff Has Birthday Party

Sherden Huff, small son of Rev. and Mrs. Huff, celebrated his seventh birthday at a party at his home on Bacon Point Road a week ago Saturday afternoon. Outdoor games were played and refreshments of birthday cake and punch were served by Sherden's mother.

Guests were Jack Crocker, Ralph Chance, John Roy Arant, Bill Miller, George Gant, Donald Acree, Jimmy Colson, G. B. Miller, Buddy Mobley and Wayne Burdeshaw.

### IN THE COURT OF THE COUNTY JUDGE, IN AND FOR PALM BEACH COUNTY, FLORIDA

IN RE: ESTATE OF W. J. MUMFORD, deceased.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MAKE APPLICATION FOR FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that I have filed heretofore in the above Court my final report as Auxiliary Administrator with will annexed of the estate of W. J. Mumford, deceased; and that I have filed petition for final discharge, and that on the 21st day of August, 1944, I will apply to the Honorable Michael P. Robbins, Judge of the above Court for an order approving my accounts and directing distribution, and for final discharge as Auxiliary Administrator with the will annexed, of the estate of W. J. Mumford, deceased.

Attest: R. Harris, Auxiliary Administrator with will annexed of estate of W. J. Mumford, deceased.

Pub. July 21, 28, Aug. 4, 11, 18.

### Report of Condition of BANK OF PALM BEACH

of Public to the State of Florida, at the close of business on June 30, 1944

Assets	\$12,227.25
Capital and surplus	\$1,582,300.00
Deposits of state and political subdivisions	\$8,423.09
Cash balance with other banks, including reserve balance and cash items in process of collecting	1,892,512.62
Bank deposits	9,596.00
Real estate	2,300.00
Furniture and fixtures	8,850.00
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>	<b>\$4,936,223.30</b>

Liabilities	\$1,582,300.00
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**TOTAL LIABILITIES (not including subordinated obligations shown above)** \$3,892,609.35

**CAPITAL ACCOUNTS**

Capital	\$50,000.00
Surplus	3,000.00
Undivided profits	12,053.05
Reserve and retained earnings account for preferred capital	10,300.00
<b>TOTAL CAPITAL</b>	<b>\$1,142,353.05</b>

**TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS** \$4,936,223.30

This bank's capital consists of \$10,000.00 of capital notes and debentures; first preferred stock with par value of \$10,000.00, total redeemable value \$10,000.00; and common stock with total par value of \$3,926,223.30.

**MEMORANDA**

Pledged assets (and securities) pledged to secure U. S. Government obligations, direct and indirect, pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities.

Other assets pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities (including notes and securities sold under repurchase agreements).

**TOTAL** \$1,142,353.05

Deposits secured by pledge of assets pursuant to requirements of law

**TOTAL** \$1,142,353.05

On the 30th day of June, 1944, the undersigned, a duly qualified and sworn public notary, did certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the report of condition of the Bank of Palm Beach, as the same appears from the books and records of said bank.

Attest: My commission expires Sept. 24, 1946.

NANCY JO HANLEY

(NOTARY'S SEAL) Notary Public

My commission expires Sept. 24, 1946.

Mrs. Becky Starling and daughter, Judy, have returned from Fort Myers where they spent a week visiting Mr. and Mrs. Roy Regier at the beach.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Janson returned recently from Tampa where they attended funeral services for Mrs. Janson's cousin, Lt. Grover C. Rogers, who was killed in an airplane crash in California on July 4.

William M. Roselle and Walter N. Roselle of Tallahassee, Ala., visited their brother, Frank Roselle, and family last Friday.

Joseph Kahn spent the past

week visiting relatives in Palmetto, Georgia.

City Officer 2-C. Claude Jones left Monday for his station in California after spending a three-week furlough with relatives here. He was accompanied as far as Jacksonville by his sister, Mrs. Uretha Caruthers, who is visiting relatives there this week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. McIntosh and son, Eddie, are spending their vacation with his mother, Mrs. Laura McIntosh and other relatives in Live Oak.

Mrs. Juanita Culbertson, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and

Mrs. A. Q. Howell, in Canal Point, returned this week to Sarasota where she is employed.

T. W. Jenkins visited Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Burns at their summer cottage at Sarasota Beach this week.

Mrs. Leon Guthrie and daughters, Carol Jo and Eva Gail, and Mrs. L. S. Guthrie and grand-daughter, Marcia Jean, spent Tuesday visiting relatives in Miami.

## Prince Theatre

PAHOKEE, FLA.

### PROGRAM

Week Of July 23rd, 1944

#### "Voice in the Wind"

with Francis Lederer, Sigrid Gurie and J. Edward Bromberg

#### "Tornado"

with Chester Morris and Nancy Kelly

#### "Kid Dynamite"

with The East Side Kids

#### "GHOST RIDERS"

with Dickie Moore, Tina Thyer

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with Chester Morris and Nancy Kelly

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### —HEALTH—

CHIROPRACTIC DOES GET SICK PEOPLE WELL.

DR. L. S. JONES

Chiropractor Phone 5630

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WEST PALM BEACH, FLA.

## The Elections Are Over! The End Of Another Season Is Here!

Now we can settle down to some good summer fishing. If your old fishing equipment is a little run down and needs replacing—drop in—and maybe we can help you out. Our stock isn't as full as it was in the day before the war—but, we do have several items you'll probably be needing.

Anyway, before you start on that next trip, come in and look over the items we do have. The price, as always, will please you.

## Betzner Hardware

—HARDWARE HEADQUARTERS IN BELLE GLADE—

## THE FLORIDA NATIONAL BANK

AT BELLE GLADE

### Statement Of Condition

June 30, 1944

#### RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts	\$ 169,684.36
Furniture and Fixtures	8,294.29
Other Real Estate Owned	4,164.52
Prepaid Expenses	421.93
Other Resources	25.00
Accrued Interest and Income Receivable	\$ 9,264.63
U. S. Government Securities	1,768,465.04
Listed N. Y. Stock Exchange	
Bonds and Other Securities	79,214.37
Cash on hand and Due from banks	888,833.05
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>2,745,777.09</b>

\$2,924,367.10

#### LIABILITIES

Capital Stock	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus	23,000.00
Undivided Profits	3,406.08
Reserves	4,500.35
Other Liabilities	31.22
Interest and Income Collected, Not Earned	493.82
Deposits	2,846,935.63
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$2,924,367.10</b>

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Leonard A. Usina, President  
Dean S. Campbell, Vice President  
Milton L. Campbell, Vice President and Cashier  
Frank H. Wilber, Asst. Cashier

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## Girls and Boys, JOIN REDDY KLOWATT CLUB



HERE'S ALL YOU HAVE TO DO!

Save scrap metal, paper and tin cans - take care of your clothes - don't waste food - buy more War Stamps. Sign the pledge below and bring it to my office. That will make you a member of my club, and entitle you to a free pencil and club button, now!

FILL OUT - CLIP and BRING IN TO OUR OFFICE TODAY!

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Florida Power & Light Company

Don't fail to be a member of the Reddy Klowatt Club!



A crucial period in the war has arrived. Great army, air and naval units are pressing the attack on many fronts. Supply lines are essential to military success.

The Florida East Coast Railway and other railroads are vital supply lines, linking production centers and military posts with ports and waiting ships. They carry reinforcements, munitions, equipment and food that must be delivered when and where needed, often on short notice.

Non-essential travel at this time tends to burden and clog these vital supply lines. Even though your local railroad may be able to accommodate you, conditions on other railroads over which you would travel may prove more congested than anticipated.

As increasing number of wounded and disabled service men must be accommodated on regular trains, Passenger cars may have to be taken out of regular service and your reservations cancelled to meet such emergencies.

So this summer—and we hope it will be the last requiring such a sacrifice—help keep supply lines open by avoiding unnecessary travel. Let the boys in the service and people on really essential trips have the limited space available on trains.

## FLORIDA EAST COAST RAILWAY

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